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For: MULTI-LAYERED, COEXTRUDED,  
BIAXIALLY STRETCHED FIBRE-  
IMPROVED SEAMLESS TUBE COVERING  
AND USE THEREOF AS A FOOD COVERING

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated October 16, 2008, finally rejecting claims 1-11 and 15-20, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.